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ATCHISON SCHOOLS WOULD CONSOLIDATE

HOLD MEETING AT CLEARMONT TO DISCUSS PLAN.

WANT $35,000 BUILDING

Petitions Being Circulated and Election Will Be Called if Sufficient Interest Is Shown.

County Superintendent Bert Cooper attended a conference of a number of the representative men of the school districts adjoining Clearmont at a meeting held at Clearmont last night. The school board of Clearmont was present at the conference and explained their problems. The state department has requested them to build a new building as their present one is too small for their attendance. All that the Clearmont district can vote is $18,000, and such a building as is needed cannot be built for that amount. The school board of the Clearmont district has asked the co-operation of the school men of the adjoining districts to vote for a consolidated rural high school at Clearmont and thereby to enable them to build a $35,000 school building and to add another year to their high school, making that a four year school. Petitions for such a consolidated high school are being circulated in several districts around Clearmont and if sufficient interest is shown, an election will be called soon to vote on the proposition. It was also brought out that teachers will have to be paid more.

A meeting to discuss school needs and problems is to be held at Elmo tonight. The people of that town contributed some $1,300 last year to keep their high school up to standard. Elmo is wanting several school districts to consolidate with them in a consolidated high school.

ATTEND MEETING OF BOARD OF REGENTS.

President Ira Richardson and W. A. Rickenbrode, registrar of the State Teachers College, went to St. Joseph this morning to attend a called meeting of the board of regents of the college.

DELCO SYSTEM INSTALLED IN NEW A. B. CRANE HOME.

L. H. Haley, the Delco-Light dealer in Nodaway County, has recently finished wiring the new home of A. B. Crane, near Burlington Junction, for Delco lights, with a system which will also furnish power for a running water system through the house. The barn and other outbuildings are also wired and a power stand installed for the operation of a cream separator, washing machine and a number of farm implements which may be run by generated power.

Sunday Services at White Cloud.

There will be preaching services at the White Cloud Baptist Church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Rev. W. C. Ferguson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Maryville. Sunday school services will be held at 2 o'clock.

Electric Theatre

TONIGHT

"The INVISIBLE HAND"

Episode No. 8

Two Reels of O'Henry Story.

Also Bi-lin Comedy.

Night 7:30 and 9; 11c and 17c

Saturday, Feb. 28.

CONSTANCE TALMADGE

In

"GOODNIGHT, PAUL"

Also Two Reels of Western

2 Matinees, 2:30 and 4:10; 11-17c

2 Shows at Night, 7:30, 9; 11-17c

SPECIAL SERVICE TO PRECEDE EASTER EVANGELISTIC WEEKS

Dr. Gilbert S. Cox Will Give Series of Sermons at First Methodist Church.

Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist Church, is making preparations for the annual Easter evangelistic services which will be held the two weeks preceding Easter from March 21 to April 4.

On next Sunday morning the first of a series of three sermons which will lead up to the pre-Easter evangelistic services will be given. The subject for Sunday is "Evangelism and the Growth of the Kingdom." On Sunday morning, March 7, the subject will be "The Kind of Evangelism Needed"; on March 14, "The Cost of Evangelism."

BENTON AND H. S. TEAMS IN FAST GAME TONIGHT

St. Joseph Team to Come on Special, Accompanied by 150 Rooters.

Tonight the Benton High School team of St. Joseph and the Maryville High School team will meet on the State Teachers College court in what is scheduled as the fastest basketball game of the season for the home team.

The St. Joseph team will come on a special train, leaving St. Joseph at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The train is expected to reach Maryville at 5:45 and will leave for the return trip at 11 o'clock. Seven Benton teachers and about 150 rooters are expected to make the trip tonight with the team.

The Maryville rooters are expected to be out in full force with an abundant supply of pep.

Coach Eell of the high school will chose the men who are to begin the game from the following first squad members: De Armond, Faris, Campbell, French, Kirby, Foreman, Allan, Farmer, Hagins, Tebow and Roelofson.

Fred Vandersloot is coach of the Benton team.

MARYVILLE LODGE MEMBERS ATTEND K. OF C. INITIATION

Big Event Planned by St. Joseph Order When Seventy Candidates Will Be Received.

B. F. Deugan, grand knight of the Maryville lodge, Knights of Columbus; E. L. Ferriter, J. Ed Costello, B. M. Rowley, T. F. Reimer, John Murrin and other members of the lodge, will go to St. Joseph Sunday morning to attend a K. of C. initiation, when a class of seventy will be given the second and third degrees. The exemplification will take place in the auditorium of St. Patrick's parochial school, Twelfth and Doniphan avenue. A large delegation from the Conception lodge will also attend.

The candidates and members of the council will attend high mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral at 10:30 o'clock and the degree work will begin at 2 o'clock. Joseph J. Tushaus, district deputy for St. Joseph, will be in charge of the second degree, and Dr. T. E. Purcell of Kansas City will be in charge of the third.

A stag dinner will be served following the ceremonial and a social program has been arranged by Edward A. Thomson, chairman of the entertainment committee.

To Teach at Baker School.

Miss Mary Miller has been employed to teach at the Baker school west of Barnard in the place of Miss Sylvia Drydale, who resigned. Miss Miller is a graduate of the high school, finishing the course at the end of the mid-winter term.

Fire at Dr. Allender's Last Night.

The fire department was called to the home of Dr. J. C. Allender on South Fillmore street last evening. The fire was started from a burning flue which burned a hole in the roof. The damage was estimated to be about $10.

BASKET BALL

BENTON HIGH SCHOOL, St. Joseph,

VS.

MARYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

TONIGHT

Benton is bringing a special train of rooters, so come out and see a good game.

7:30, Sharp. College Gym.

ST. JOSEPH QUINTET WIN GAME, 27-15

TOOTLE-LACYS AND BEAR CATS PLAY AT COLLEGE GYM.

NEXT CONTEST MARCH 4

Maryville College Team Will Meet Kirksville State Teacher's College Team Here.

Tootle-Lacys National Bank team of St. Joseph defeated the State Teacher's College Bear Cats last night in the college gymnasium by a score of 27 to 15.

The game strated rather late on account of the St. Joseph team not arriving until the 8:25 p. m. Burlington. The first playing was slow and at the end of ten minutes the score was several points in favor of the Tootle-Lacys. But during the last part of the first half Maryville came back with a spurt and netted several beautiful goals, making the score at the end of the first half 12 to 10 in favor of the Tootle-Lacys.

During the second half, the St. Joseph quintet added several goals and at no time during the half was their lead endangered.

The game was rough throughout. Wales and Nidy starred for the St. Joseph five.

The line up follows:

Bear Cats.

Stewart f.	0	0	1
Puckett f.	1	2	1
Adams f.	1	0	1
Egley f.	2	1	1
Sawyers c.	0	0	3
Wells g.	0	0	2
Richards g.	2	0	3
	6	3	12

Tootle-Lacys.

Barnes f.	2	0	0
Nidy f.	4	0	0
Wales f.	4	1	2
Miller c.	3	0	1
Schopp g.	0	0	0
Goodman g.	0	0	4
	13	1	7

Substitutes, Maryville Adams for Stewart, Egley for Puckett. Tootle-Lacys Wales for Barnes. Referee, Hoopes of Kansas City.

The Tootle-Lacy team has had nine straight victories, with no defeats this season.

The next basket ball game of the college schedule will be played here Thursday, March 4, with the Kirksville State Teachers.

PAY TRIBUTE TO YOUNG SOLDIER—ALBERT BICKETT

Funeral Services Held This Morning at St. Mary's Church, Conducted by Father Ambrose.

The brave and loyal service of the American dispatch riders with the overseas army during the world war and the part they had in its winning were told by the Rev. Father Ambrose this morning at the funeral of Albert Bickett, as a fitting tribute to this young soldier who died yesterday morning from a malady which he contracted while in the service.

The funeral was held in St. Mary's Catholic Church, conducted by Father Ambrose, who spent two years abroad as army chaplain. He spoke of the long rides under fire, the exposure, and the danger braved unflinchingly by these riders with whom young Bickett served for eleven months.

Previous to his entering the army, Bickett was employed as a taxi driver, and all the taxi drivers in the city attended the services in a body and gave the use of their cars for the funeral cortege. The pall bearers were John Thompson, Paul Bahler, Dennis Morrissey, Thomas Sherlock, Feris Byrnes and Louis Viles. The body was buried in St. Mary's cemetery.

Father Dies at Brunswick.

Miss Magdalene Kaiser, telephone operator of the Clyde Exchange, returned last week from Brunswick, Mo., whee she was called by the serious illness, which resulted in the death of her father. Mr. Kaiser was buried at Brunswick.—Conception Courier.

To Rochester Sanitarium.

Mrs. Albert Butherus went to Rochester, Minn., Wednesday morning where she will take treatment for mastoid abcesses. She was accompanied by her brother and sister, Paul and Mary Thompson.

HOPKINS AND MARYVILLE B.B. GIRLS PLAY TONIGHT

Game Is One of Double Header to Be Contested on Hopkins High School Court.

The high school girls' basketball team will play the Hopkins high school girls in one of the games of a double header played at Hopkins tonight. The Hopkins high school boys meet the Pattonsburg high school boys for a contest tonight on the Hopkins court.

The Maryville girls will drive to Hopkins after school this afternoon. The squad making the trip in charge of Miss Martha Denney of the faculty is composed of Mabel and Evelyn Raines, Ruth Beckman, Neva Owens, Justine Fraser, Marie Kissinger, Martha Kennedy and Ruth Miller.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH TONIGHT

Laymen's Banquet Last Night Attended by Eighty Guests.—District Convention Closes Tonight.

The Baptist Young People's Union will have charge of the closing service tonight of the Northwest District Association meeting which has been in session for the past two days at the First Baptist Church. A splendid program has been prepared and the address given will be upon different lines of work among the young people in the churches. The meeting is public and open to every one interested in the church progress of young folks.

Last night about eighty were present at the layman's banquet served by the women of the church. An address by Dr. W. H. Williams, pastor of the First Baptist Church of St. Joseph, followed the banquet. This afternoon's program was given over to the women's activities of the church and discussions of their problems. Last night while the laymen's banquet was in progress the visiting women delegates were entertained with a banquet and program given in the church parlors.

The program for tonight is as follows:

Song, Congregation—"Call for Loyal Seldiers."

Prayer—H. M. Pabby.

Address—"The Town and Country B. Y. P. U.," Rev. W. W. Laughlin of Rock Port.

Address—"The Young Man's Loyalty," Rev. T. J. Puckett, Maryville.

Vocal solo, "Open Mine Eyes that I May See the Lord," Daisy Allen.

Address—"Winning Lives for the Church While Young," Rev. R. L. Stratton of Forest City.

Address—"The B. Y. P. U. in Pastorless Churches," D. W. Griffith of Hamburg, Iowa.

Song, Congregation—"Blessed Assurance."

Address — "The Bible Readers' Course," Rev. Elmer Kirkpatrick of Tarkio.

Address—"My Young People," Rev. W. C. Ferguson, Maryville.

Benediction.

OKLAHOMA MAN AMONG R. C. WORKERS CAPTURED IN SIBERIA.

Washington, Feb. 27.—First detailed news of the capture of seven American Red Cross workers in Siberia by Bolsheviks was received here today in a cablegram from Captain Charette of Stockton, Cal. William Ford of Kingston, Okla., is among the workers captured.

NEW BRITISH AMBASSADOR TO U. S. IS SIR BUCKLAND.

London, Feb. 27.—Sir Buckland, minister of national service, has definitely accepted the post of British ambassador to Washington, succeeding Viscount Grey, the Daily Telegraph stated today.

Receiving Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herren of this city are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a grandson today, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wray Dudley of Ashland, Kentucky. The boy has been named Jimmie Dudley. Mrs. Dudley was formerly Miss Mary Alice Herren of this city.

Miss Eva Dawson went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

DANCE

TONIGHT

W. O. W. Hall

Schumacher's Orchestra.

Everyone invited

SCHOOL NEEDS WERE DISCUSSED

SCHOOLS ARE FACING A CRISIS DUE TO LACK OF ROOM

PROPOSES SPECIAL LEVY

So As to Be Able to Pay the Teachers a Living Wage—More Room Is Badly Needed.

The problems and needs of the public schools of this city were discussed at a meeting held last evening at the Christian Church. It was decided unanimously to support any proposition the School board think advisable to help out in paying a living salary to the teachers and to build a building providing the room necessary to take care of the needs of the school at present and also in the future. It was also unanimously voted to send a telegram to the State Board of Equalization demanding that they comply with the law in that assessments should be at its full market value.

The telegram is as follows:

Maryville, Mo., Feb. 27, 1920.

State Board of Equalization,

Jefferson City, Mo.

One hundred citizens of Maryville, in public meeting for discussion of school needs, demand that you fix values of property as provided by law to the end that our schools be adequately supported.

GEORGE L. WILFLEY,

Chairman.

L. C. Cook, a member of the school board, told of the crisis facing the public schools in this city, the lack of revenues to pay the teachers what they are entitled to and the more room needed for the high school. He forcibly brought out the importance of education. He stated that the schools spent during the year 1918 $2,541 more than its revenue. He estimated that for this year, with three more months to run on, that there will be a shortage of some $3,500. He explained that this was due to the fact that the schools are paying more for all kinds of supplies than they did before the year 1919, and also that they are paying out more money for salaries than they did at that time, yet not sufficient enough to which the teachers are entitled to. He stated that the taxes are not turned over to the school district until January of each year and it was necessary to have sufficient funds on hand to start school with each September and that for the year 1918 the amount of $2,451 was taken out of the funds which should have been reserved for the schools at the opening of the term last year. With an increase of over $1,000 more this year, this being an estimated amount at this time, Mr. Cook said he did not know how the schools would run for the four months from September to January of their next term unless some effort is made to relieve this situation.

Mr. Cook said that it would be necessary to pay the teachers more and suggested that a special repair and furnishing levy be voted at this election to relieve the incidental fund of all repairs to the buildings and also furnishings. Heretofore, with the exception of last year when a building levy was voted for the purpose of building the Douglas school building, no special levy of this kind has been voted. With such a levy voted at the school election in April it will enable the board to pay out some $4,000 more in salaries to teachers.

In regard to more room, Mr. Cook pointed out forcibly how the high school has been hampered by the lack of room. He told of two classes now meeting in the basement of the school building. He also said that when a commercial course was added to the high school it was necessary to make a class room out of a room that originally had been a toilet.

He also spoke of the necessity of adding a vocational agricultural teacher to the high school, the salary of such teacher to be paid for the government and the state. The board has been unable heretofore to consider this proposition on account of having no place for such a department. He also mentioned that it was the intention of the board to open the manual training department to the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades, but they were unable to do so as they did not have the room.

"We have got to have more room if the standard of the school is to be kept where it should be," concluded Mr. Cook.

Superintendent J. M. McDonald addressed the meeting on the growth of the high school and also what is being paid the teachers. The high school has

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MRS. CLAUDE MYERS DEAD. SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA

Funeral Service to Be Held at Maitland Christian Church Tomorrow Afternoon.

Mrs. Effie Myers, wife of Claude Myers, a farmer living near Maitland died at 5 o'clock yesterday morning at her home from pneumonia following an attack of influenza. Mrs. Myers was thirty-three year old. Besides her husband, she survived by two daughters, Opal and Mildred, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Saunders of Skidmore and three sisters, Mrs. Ernest Dawson, Mrs. Charles Hitchcock and Mrs. Arch Brown all of Skidmore.

Funeral services for Mrs. Myers will be at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the First Christian church in Maitland conducted by Rev. S. D. Harlan. The Royal Neighbors will have charge of the burial rites at the Maitland cemetery where she will be interred.

FELLOW STUDENTS HOLD A "PEP" GENERATIVE MEET.

A special assembly was held at the High School this afternoon at which a half hour program was given, followed by a half hour "pep" meeting for the benefit of the two basket ball teams who play tonight. The girls play with the Hopkins girls at the latter place and the boys with the St. Joseph Benton High School team here.

MOST WAR DECORATIONS WON BY ENLISTED MEN.

Washington, D. C.—The United States conferred 5,528 decorations on men who served in the army during the war, according to information made public by the War Department. Of these decorations 63 per cent went to enlisted men, while the officers received only 37 per cent. Distinguished service medals were awarded to 641 officers, this being a decoration limited to the commissioned personnel.

The remainder of the awards consisted of 21 Congressional medals of honor to officers and 57 to enlisted men, and 3,109 distinguished service crosses to enlisted men and 1,516 to officers.

The 21 officers receiving distinguished service medals included 3 lieutenant colonels, 1 major, 6 captains, 6 first lieutenants and 5 second lieutenants. Nearly 37 per cent of these medals were awarded to members of the 30th, 33d and 89th divisions.

Moving to Montevisto, Colo.

Mrs. Jesse Paulette and small daughter, Esther Louise, who have been spending the past two months with Mrs. Paulette's mother, Mrs. Ida McKenzie, left this morning for their home at Durango, Colo. They were accompanied by Mrs. Paulette's aunt, Mrs. Mary Hook, who will visit at Durango and other places in Colorado. The Paulettes expect to leave soon for Montevisto, Colo., to live. Mr. Paulette has been employed as traveling salesman in the western territory for the Wyeth Hardware Company of St. Joseph and will enter the employ of a large hardware company at Montevisto.

Dissolve Meat Packer Industry.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Final decree was entered today in the supreme court of the District of Columbia dissolving the unrelated industries of the large packers. The decree is in accordance with the agreement reached between Palmer and packers which are bound by the decree entered today is in lieu of the prosecution of the packers which was planned against them by the department of justice.

To Surrender War Craft.

London, Feb. 27.—It is reported from The Hague this afternoon that Germany will surrender a hundred additional war craft of various classes to the allies within the next few days.

Miss Matter Leaves.

Miss Ruth Matter left this afternoon for Springfield, Mo., where she will be a guest for a number of weeks of Mrs. Ernest Robinson.

To St. Joseph.

W. A. Blagg went to St. Joseph this morning to attend a meeting of the board of regents of the State Teachers College. Mrs. Blagg accompanied him and will spend the day with friends.

TO ORGANIZE 3 ROAD DISTRICTS

FROM MARYVILLE TO THE SOUTH COUNTY LINE IS PROPOSED.

MEET HELD YESTERDAY

Petitions Are to Be Circulated Soon for Organization of These Special Road Districts.

A meeting of a number of road boosters for the purpose of forming a special road district in the south part of the county was held yesterday afternoon at the office of J. F. Roefofson in the court house. In addition to Mr. Roelofson, Granville Gray, Marion Ripley and Lawrence Ogden represented the south part of Polk township; T. A. Parish, Roland Evans, Harry Wamsley and C. M. Johnson the north part of White Cloud, and A. M. Sutton and S. M. Ieke the south part of White Cloud.

They discussed the proposition of having one consolidated road district or to organize three separate districts. While the state highway board feels the organization should be one district instead of smaller ones, yet it was felt there were many advantages to be derived from having smaller districts. The plan is to form a district between Maryville and the south Polk township line; another district between the North White Cloud line to the Davis school house, and then the third district between the Davis school house and the county line. It was suggested that each sub-division have petitions drawn as soon as possible so as to have them ready for action by the county court at their May meeting.

POET ACCUSES WIFE OF BEATING HIM WITH HER FISTS.

Los Angeles, Feb. 27.—The charge that his wife beat him with her fists when she learned upon his return from France that he had fallen in love with a French girl, was made by Lee Shippey in a frank discussion here today of the love triangle, of which he is the central figure. He denied that Madeline Dabin, the French girl, who is about to become a mother, ever made an attempt to break up the Shippey home. He declared the girl's efforts were always in the other direction.

TAX BOOKS DELIVERED TO COUNTY CLERK MONDAY.

The city and township tax books will be closed by tax collectors tomorrow night and be turned over to the county clerk where they will be held for delinquent collections. An added penalty of 1 per cent is added after March 1.

The collections have been exceedingly close this year. There are left unpaid only about ten personal assessments in the city and twelve in the country. Seventy-five city properties have yet an unpaid account against them and several farm assessments are not paid. Some of these are due to the absence of the property owners from the city.

Wireless Nearly Completed for America-England Conversation.

London, Feb. 27.—Within the next fortnight attempts will be made at Great Britain wireless station at Chelmsford to hold wirless telephone conversation with both the United States and Australia, the Daily News announced today.

DENY RECEIPT OF RUSSIAN GRAIN BY GERMANY.

Berlin, Feb. 27.—A Paris report that Germany has reached an agreement with Soviet Russia to exchange farm machinery for Russian grain is authoritatively denied today.

Weather for Today

Fair to-night; warmer to-night except in extreme northwest portion; Saturday partly cloudy; warmer in the southeast and colder in the northwest portion.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

GLADYS BROCKWELL,

The Girl of a Thousand Expressions, in

Broken Commandment

An Amazing Story of a Woman's Gamble.

Also Mack Sennett Comedy.

Prices, 11c and 17c.

Tomorrow Night—Dorothy Phillips in "Pay Me."

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PERTINENT POLITICAL PELLETS.

By A. T. Edmonston.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 26.—In the opinion of Chairman Ben M. Neale of the state Democratic committee, Missouri will easily go Democratic by a substantial margin next November. It is his belief that the Democrats of Missouri were never so enthusiastically and determinedly bent on keeping Missouri well in the Democratic ranks as they are now. The overwhelming Democratic landslide in the Third congressional district on St. Valentine's day which sends Captain Jacob L. Milligan to represent that portion of Missouri in the lower house at Washington, is the barometer on which Chairman Neale bases his procrastination.

Chairman Neale characterized the campaign as the hardest fought battle ever staged in a Missouri congressional district. Both parties, he said, had remarkably complete organizations and covered the district thoroughly with personal work and literature. Because of the squarely drawn issue on the League of Nations the campaign attracted national attention and hundreds of telegrams were received during the campaign, the volume of messages being doubled by the flood of congratulations when the campaign ended.

"The election was a valuable thing for the party," Mr. Neale concluded. "It showed what could be accomplished by united work. It put new spirit into a few Democrats who felt faint hearted. It emphatically demonstrated that Missouri is Democratic and that the party need have no fear of the results next fall. It further disposed of the Republican belief that the Democrats were divided on the League of Nations, and furnished indisputable proof of the feeling of the majority of the free thinking people on this big issue.

Francis for Vice-President.

In answer to a telegram from the Joplin headquarters of the Francis-for-Senate Club of the Fifteenth congressional district as to whether he would accept the nomination for vice-president, David R. Francis of St. Louis sent the following reply:

"I am in no sense a candidate, but if the Democratic party should nominate me for any office my interest in Democratic success and my sense of party duty would impel me to accept."

Sometime ago Francis announced he would not be a candidate for United States senator unless he was given the nomination without opposition.

Goltra or Jones National Committeeman

Democratic National Committeeman Edward F. Goltra of St. Louis will definitely announce this week whether he will again seek the same honor. It is the opinion of Goltra's St. Louis friends that he will again aspire to the place.

If Goltra decides to get into the fight against James C. Jones, the St. Louis lawyer who already has announced his candidacy, it is said, James J. Gallagher, former member of the St. Louis house of delegates, will manage Goltra's campaign. Gallagher managed Goltra's successful campaign against Horace S. Rumsey in 1918.

The first member of the Democratic city committee of St. Louis to declare against Jones for national committeeman is J. J. Mestres. Seventh ward committeeman, who said the eight delegates from his ward would oppose Jones. The Fifth ward, of which William T. Egan is committeeman, and in which State Senator Michael Kinney is political chieftain, also will be against Jones, it is known.

Rumsey Resigns League Presidency.

The St. Louis Democratic League, the political organization which created a tremendous stir in that city last spring, after a stormy existence which led to the deposing of Sam A. Lazarus as its president a few weeks ago, is again without an official head. Maj. Horace S. Rumsey, who was elevated to presidency when the League of Nations advocates compelled the retirement of Lazarus, its founder, has resigned.

Rumsey, in tendering his resignation to the executive board, said he did not have time to devote to politics, and suggested that the league pick somebody else.

No meeting for the election of a successor to Rumsey has been called, Mrs. Fred A. Reid, member of the board, said, when approached on the subject.

Frank H. Farris Very Active.

If constant activity, and ability to manage a campaign, count toward landing a political plum, Frank H. Farris of Phelps County, who aspires to be Missouri's next governor, has a good start for his goal, the Democratic nomination. Thirty-five Farris-for-Governor Clubs have been formed over the state, with a total membership exceeding 5,000, his boosters say, and more are on the way. A campaign manager for each congressional district has been appointed and each has accepted. The intention is to have 1,000 Farris-for-Governor boosters from all over the state at the Joplin convention in April. Lebanon, Mo., will send a delegation of 100, headed by a brass band.

OUT O' LUCK

Never mind! Just take Cascarets if Bilious, Constipated

Everyone must occasionally give to the bowels some regular help or else suffer from constipation, bilious attacks, stomach disorders and sick headache. But do not whip the bowels into activity with marsh cathartics.

What the liver and bowls need is a gentle and natural tonic, one that can constantly be used without harm. The gentlest liver and bowels tonic is "Cascarets." They put the liver to work and cleanse the coln and bowels of all waste, toxins and poisons without griping—they never sicken or inconvenience you like Calomel, Salts, Oil, or Purgatives.

Twenty-five million boxes of Cascarets are sold each year. They work while you sleep. Cascarets cost so little too.

ONIONS AND GARLIC A CURE FOR INFLUENZA.

Akron, Ohio.—"He will not get the flu if he eats this."

This was the comment made by a Slovak woman when she called at the county jail and left a large package for one of the prisoners. Because of the epidemic of grip, flu and hard colds among the prisoners she was not permitted to see her imprisoned relative.

The package contained onions, garlic and cooked meat, seasoned with garlic.

This incident has recalled to mind the claim that when an epidemic or plague raged throughout England in the sixteenth century, thousands dying in every locality, the Jews, as a rule, escaped.

It developed that the disease was warded off by the Jews using onions and garlic freely.

It is claimed that the juices of the onion and garlic stimulate the body and aid digestion, enabling one to ward off disease germs.

CASKETS FOR THE RETURN OF AMERICAN DEAD BOUGHT.

Washington, D. C.—Orders for 17,000 caskets to be used in connection with the return of American dead from Europe have been placed by the War Department. The cost of these coffins will be about $1,104,508. They will be constructed of the most durable materials procurable and will be of a suitable type.

If you don't sleep well at night from nervousness, indigestion or urinary trouble you need Prickly Ash Bitters. It purifies the system and relieves the kidneys and bladder. Price $1.25 per bottle. Maryville Drug Co. ADV.

The name pallbearers for the friends of the dead who carry the coffin to the grave is of somewhat indirect significance. Pall comes from pallium, which means a cover or a mantle and may be used to designate any kind of rich cloth. But in olden times it was used specifically for the heavy covering that was draped over the coffin at a funeral ceremony. And it is for this reason that the men who bore upon their shoulders the coffin came to be called pallbearers.

Three presidents and the wives of five presidents have been ministers' children.

Quarantine was first established against infectious diseases in the tenth century.

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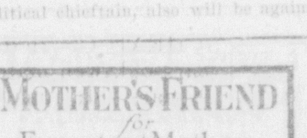

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BANK RETURNS SHOW BIG GAIN

MONEY POWER BECOMING DECENTRALIZED, COMPTROLLER SAYS.

WAS CENTERED IN EAST

Proportion of Resources in Those States Compared to National Banks Is Now 46 Per Cent.

Washington.—Growth of the nation's banking power and the wide distribution of wealth among the people is revealed by figures made public by the comptroller of the currency, based upon an analysis of national bank returns from all districts. Present day banking methods have produced a wider diffusion of wealth and credit to all sections, Comptroller Williams states, and money strength is no longer concentrated in Eastern financial institutions, as was the case twenty years ago.

In twenty years the national banks have increased their resources from $4,500,000,000 to $22,500,000,000, the comptroller said. The figures presented show to what extent the banking power of the country has been decentralized. Twenty years ago the money power was mainly centered in the East, the national banks in New England and Eastern states holding about 60 per cent of the resources of all national banks. The proportion of resources in those states to the resources of all the national banks is now only 46 per cent.

Huge increases, both actual and comparative, are noted in returns from Southern banks. Total resources of all national banks in fourteen other states have jumped from $348,000,000 in 1899 to more than $3,000,000,000, an estimated increase of 889 per cent.

Resources of national banks in the Middle Western states have increased $5,333,000,000, or 363 per cent, with the proportion of their resources as compared with all other banks now standing at 24 per cent. Resources of the Western banks increased $1,025,000,000, or 500 per cent, in twenty years. Twenty years ago these banks held only 4 per cent of the total resources of all banks. Pacific coast state banks have shown an increase in resources of $1,620,000,000, or 1340 per cent.

Every state in the Union showed increases in resources of national banks, except the state of Rhode Island.

Hard working men who are burdened with a torpid liver, feel tired, lazy and discourgade. They know they are lazy and they are ashamed, yet it is nothing to be ashamed of. The thing to do is to get the liver started gain and to purify the stomach and bowels. There is no better remedy for this purpose than Prickly Ash Bitters. It puts a man in working trim and makes life worth living. Price $1.25 per bottle. Maryville Drug Co. ADV.

The song, "Marching Through Georgia," was the product, in 1865, of Henry Clay Work, a popular song writer, who wrote many songs that were popular in Civil War time.

OBITUARY.

Larkin P. Warren was born in Halifax, North Carolina, November 16, 1845, and departed from this life at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gordon Farmer, living six miles west of Barnard, February 24, 1920, age 74 years, 3 months and 8 days. He made a profession of the Christian faith early in life and united with the Baptist Church at Mulberry Gap, Tenn., and remained a faithful, consistent member until the end. In March, 1866, he was united in marriage to Mary Begley To this union were born ten children, two having preceded their father in death. The deceased was a Confederate soldier in the sixties and was honorably discharged. He was a man who was highly esteemed by his many friends, honorable in all his dealings, and his word was considered pure gold. Just before he bid farewell to the transient scenes of life he told his children that he would not be with them much longer, and that death had no fears to him. He was ready to go to be with Him whom he had loved so long, and bade them each one to meet him in the land beyond. He was a loving husband, a true father, a noble citizen and a neighbor in the true sense of the word. Besides his wife he leaves to mourn eight children: Mrs. Gordon Farmer, John Warren and Herbert Warren, all of Barnard, Mo.; Mrs. Ellen Owens, Garvetta, Ark.; George Warren, Graham, Mo.; J. N. and P. W. Warren, Buffalo, Mo., and W. N. Warren of Margaret, Texas, besides many grand children and relatives, as well as a host of friends. All were present at the funeral service except the mother and one son, who were indisposed on account of sickness. The funeral service was conducted from the Bethany Christian Church Thursday, Feb. 26, in the presence of a large circle of friends, Rev. Arthur S. Olsen, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Darling father, how we'll miss you,
Now that God has called you home,
But we know that you are happy,
Tho' we still left here to roam.

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FIVE AMERICANS NAMED IN LIST OF NOTABLES.

VOTING CLOSES APRIL 25

French Publication Holds Contest to Determine Greatest Men of the World War.

Paris, Feb. 23.—Five American, General Pershing, Admiral Sims, President Wilson, Secretary Lansing and Dr. A. Carrel, of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research, who did important work in saving Allied wounded are nominated by the French magazine Je Sais Tout in a contest to determine "who are the ten greatest men of the war."

There are fifty names selected by the magazine itself, but its readers may ballot for others not on the list. The voting closes April 25. The other nominees are:

King Albert of Belgium, Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia, Gabriele D'Annunzio, Arthur J. Balfour, Admiral Beatty, General Cadorna, Jules Cambon, General de Castelnau, Georges Clemenceau, General Debeney, General Diaz, Marshal Haig, Commandant Driant, Gener Fayolle, King Ferdinand of Rumania, Marshal Foch, Bonecock, General d'Esperey, Marshal French, GeneralGouraud, General Gallieni, General Grossetti, Jules Guynemer, Marshal Joffre, Earl Kitchener, Bonar Law, General Leman, Lloyd George, General Lyautey, Burgomaster Max, General de Maudhuy, General Mangin, Cardinal Mercier, Premier Millerand, General Nivelle, Nungesser, ex-Premier Orlando, General Pau, Marshal Petain, President Poincare, Commandant Reynal, Louis Renault, Admiral Ronalch, Premier Venizelos, King of Italy.

The newspaper Excelsior takes exception to this sort of a contest.

"Can a man emerge 'first' from a cataclysm like this war, as he emerges 'first' in his class in college?" demands the Excelsior. "In this monstrous amalgamation of efforts, of heroism, or labor and of sacrifices, is it possible to discover ten citizens 'greater' than others?

"What shall we call a 'great man of the war'? The most intelligent, the most courageous, the most popular, the one in the highest position, the one he best paid? Shall we search among the victorious generals, the clear seeing diplomats, the men of State, the commandants, the engineers, the inventors, the men who have perfectioned war material, the men who have best used it, the men who have suffered most?

"Clemenceau is a great man of the war. The aviator Guynemer also. How dare we confront, compare and then pick ten men in fields so different? Wilson, Lloyd George are great men of the war, but are they any greater than the most humble of our poilus? Our marshals passed under the Arch of Triumph behind the wounded. Those were the men who were easily on that memorable day the greatest. Alas, they were more than ten. But we shall see that this election will bring the triumph of an entirely different conception of greatness."

NINE WOMEN HONORED BY OKLAHOMA DEMOCRATS

They Will Be Delegates to the San Francisco Convention on June 28.

If all the western states follow the example of Oklahoma there will be a large representation of women in the Democratic national convention at San Francisco, June 28.

In the state convention which met in Muskogee, February 5, two thousand men and women delegates cheered when the vote on a special session of the legislature to ratify the suffrage amendment showed almost unanimous approval of immediate action by the Governor. Then, as if to prove how strong was its sentiment in favor of the woman factor in politics, the convention elected to the national convention one woman delegate-at-large and woman delegates from three districts. To Senator Owen had been accorded the privilege of choosing twenty delegates, a number equal to the number elected by the convention and he named four women. One woman was elected presidential elector.

Mrs. D. A. McDougal, of Sapulpa Associate National Committeewoman for Oklahoma, has the honor of being the delegate-at-large. The other delegates sent by the convention are: Mrs. Asher Carson, first district; Mrs. F. L. Rhodes, El Reno, sixth district; Mrs. Frank Lucas, Ponca City, eighth district. Senator Owen named: Mrs. Fred Flemming, Muskogee; Mrs. J. C. Fuqua Chandler; Mrs. W. H. England, Ponca City; Mrs. F. L. Fitz, Cherokee. Mrs. E. W. Lawson, of Nowata, is presidential elector.

The highest dam in the world is the Arrowrock dam at Boise, Idaho, a massive arch wedge of solid concrete, weighing more than 1,000,000 tons, which rises to a height of 351 feet between mountains ½ mile high. It was built in four years, at a cost of $5,000,000.

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Administrator's Sale

At the Roy DeBord farm, 6 miles south and ¾ mile west of Maryville, 3½ miles west and ½ mile south of Arkoe, on

Tuesday, March 9

The Following Property:

8 HEAD HORSES—1 black mare, smooth mouth, 1 team of grey mares, smooth mouth, bred to jack, 1 pair of black geldings, coming 4 years old, 1 black filley coming 3 years old, 1 pair of coming 2 year old horse colts.

11 HEAD OF POLAND CHINA HOGS—10 tried brood sows, full blood, 1 Fred Robinson male hog. These are all good ones.

5 HEAD OF JERSEY CATTLE—2 Jersey cows giving milk, 2 steer calves and 1 heifer calf.

240 HEAD OF SHEEP—234 breeding ewes, all bred to lamb in April. 6 bucks.

GRAIN AND HAY—About 500 bushels of corn in crib, about 5 tons of hay in barn, also some sheaf oats in barn, 7 or 8 tons of second cutting alfalfa baled hay. About 12 ton baled clover and timothy.

IMPLEMENTS—Nearly new 14-ft. Stoddler wagon, low wagon, hay and hay frame, hog sled, new stalk cutter, new J. I. Case combined riding lister, new combined riding lister, new Moline disc, harrow, 16-16, 12 ft. sulky rake, new Derring mower, a good one, Champion mower, 2 6-shovel cultivators nearly new, also a fourth interest in ensilage cutter, two-thirds interest in a water wagon, ½ interest in manure spreader, 2 section harrow, New Sharpless separator unless sold at private sale, new hog oiler, 50 gallon barrel of crude oil, 2 sets of work harness, 2 16 ft. feed bunks, individual hog house, 2 barrels of vinegar, a few hives of bees, and several empty gums; also some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—Sums of $10.00 and under, cash. Over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months, on bankable note at 8 per cent from date. No property removed until terms are complied with.

Lunch by Ladies of White Cloud Club.

Clifford T. Frost

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ROY DEBORD ESTATE

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer. — J. D. RICHEY, Clerk.

Public Sale

Having bought a farm, and not having room for my present amount of equipment and stock, I will sell at Public Auction at the Jim Storm farm 3 miles west of Pickering, and 8 miles north of Maryville, on

Tuesday, March 2

Sale Must Begin at 10 o'clock

The Following Property:

126 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK—Including 5 head of horses, 1 bay horse, 8 years old, weight 1400; 1 brown horse, coming 4 years old, weight 1100; 1 bay horse, 10 years old, weight 1050; 1 roan mare, 11 years old, weight 1100, and a suckling colt; 8 head of mules, 1 span of mare mules, 7 and 8 years old, weight about 2500; 1 span horse mules, 8 years old, weight 2600; 1 span mare mules, 5 years old, weight 2200; 1 horse mule, 12 years old, weight 1400; 1 mare mule, 2 years old, weight 900.

HOGS—15 head of brood sows, 35 stock hogs, 1 male hog.

CATTLE—24 head of cows, mostly springers, 17 head of coming 2 year old steers, 22 head of calves.

GRAIN—1500 bushels of corn, 1500 bushels of oats, 300 bushels of rye, between 30 and 40 tons of hay.

IMPLEMENTS—3 high wheel wagons, 2 low wagons one with rack, 1 Oscillator bob sled, 2 2-row Demoster cultivators, 2 2-row go-devils, Canton make, 1 2-row John Deere lister, 1 John Deere corn planter with check wire, 1 John Deere spring trip cultivator, 1 Pattee 6-shovel walking cultivator, 2 Pattee cultivators, 1 20th Century riding cultivators, 1 John Deere combined lister with drill, 1 John Deere 16 inch walking plow, 1 Emerson gang plow, 13 inch, Champion binder, 8 ft., 1 Deering corn binder, 2 2-section harrows, 1 3-section harrow, 2 discs, 1 John Deere 16x14, 1 Rock Island, 16x16, 1 Standard 6 ft. mowing machine, 1 McCormick hay rake, 10 ft., 1 bull rake, 1 cable stacker, 1 new Peoria wheat drill, 14 hole with press wheel, 1 6-horse Stover gasoline engine mounted on a good John Deere truck, 1 2-hole corn sheller, 1 No. 40 Stover feed grinder, 1 saw frame, 1 pump jack, 5 sets of harness, with several extra collars, 2 sets of leather harness, 3 sets of chain harness, 4 feed bunks, made of 2 inch lumber, 2 hog oilers, 2 hog feeders, 1 60 bushel capacity and other 90 bushel, 6 individual hog houses, 1 forge, 1 force feed drill and bit, feed cooker, 1 incubator and 1 base burner, 15 to 20 bushels of good Ohio potatoes.

BATES STEEL MULE TRACTOR—Will also offer a Bates Steel Mule Tractor, 13-20 horse power, in good condition, 1 3-bottom 14 inch Grand Detour engine plow, 1 McCormick improved, 6 roll shredder. Will also sell several other articles not listed.

USUAL TERMS.

Lunch by Mt. Pleasant Church Ladies.

C. D. SUTTLE

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer — C. I Hann, Clerk

CLOSING OUT SALE

I will sell at the farm 9¼ miles northeast of Maryville, 5½ miles northwest of Ravenwood, and 1 mile west and ¾ mile south of Harmony, on

Wednesday, March 3rd

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property:

7 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 span of extra good mules, well broke, 5 and 6 years old, weight 2600 pounds; 1 span of good mares, well broke and in foal to Co. Jack; 1 span of light harness, a good handy team, well broke and gentle, 5 and 7 years oud; 1 iron gray gelding, 3 years old, sound, a good one.

COWS—2 extra good milch cows; 2 good spring heifers.

HOGS—8 extra good black sows, bred for April farrow; 1 thoroughbred Chester White sow with litter of 10; 4 fat hogs; 1 extra good thoroughbred Chester White male, pedigree furnished.

HAY AND GRAIN—1000 bushels of good corn in crib; 6 or 8 tons of good timothy hay in barn; 2 or 3 acres of good cane hay in shock.

HARNESS—1 new set of work harness, Concord, 1½-inch; 1 set of 1½-inch work harness, stationery tug; 1 set of good chain harness.

MISCELLANEOUS—Two nice piles of extra good hard wood, hickory and oak, ready for the stove; 1 good 6-barrel steel tank; lot of good 4-ft. cribbing; 16 dozen hens, unless sold before sale day; 20 or 30 bushels of extra fine Early Six Weeks seed potatoes.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Deering binder and mower; good McCormick mower; good McCormick rake; 1 good 16-inch Goodenough sulky, 4-horse hitch; 1 new stalk cutter; 1 John Deere corn planter; 1 New Century cultivator; 1 Jenny Lind cultivator; 1 go-devil; 1 hog oiler, new; 1 hay rack; 1 walking plow; 1 lister; 1 endgate seeder; 1 harrow; 1 good single shovel; 1 hog feeder; hog troughs; 1 bob sled; 1 grind stone; corn sheller; 1 wagon; 1 buggy.

USUAL TERMS.

Lunch by Ladies of Harmony Church.

J. C. Whitten

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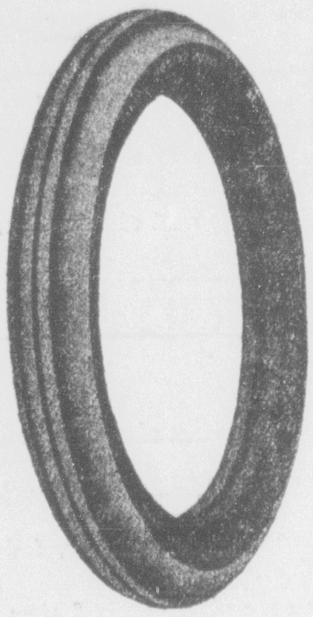

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Public Sale

In order to close out our partnership stock, we will sell at Evergreen Stock Farm 6½ miles west and 1 mile south of Barnard and 2 miles south and ½ mile east of Sunny Brook store, on

Thurday, March 4

Commencing at 10 o'clock.

30 HEAD OF MULES—13 head of coming two-year-old mules, all big-boned fellows; coming yearling mule span; span coming five-year-old mules, green broke; span coming three and four-year-old mare mules, green broke, extra good pair; 12 head coming three-year-old mules, all green broke; about half of these are mare mules. All have been on full feed all winter and are in good shape.

7 HEAD O FHORSES—Team coming five-year-old black horses, well matched, well broke, weight 2800, extra good ones; 3 coming three-year-old fillies, good blocky ones; coming three-year-old horse; coming two-year-old filly.

34 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 red cows, coming 7 years old, good milkers, to freshen this spring; 8 coming five-year-old cows, reds and roans, to freshen this spring; white coming five-year-old cow; coming ten-year-old roan cow, to freshen this spring; 4 coming two-year-old heifers, heavy springers; 17 head spring calves, steers and heifers. The above cattle are high grade Shorthorns.

30 HEAD OF HOGS—3 head tried brood sows, to farrow April 1; 5 gilts bred for April farrow; 22 head of late fall pigs.

About 250 bushels of good corn.

USUAL TERMS.

Lunch by Ladies of Bethany.

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George Cole, Clerk.

WOMEN'S VIEWS ON LEAP YEAR VARY

BRITISH WOMEN THINK RIGHT TO PROPOSE SHOULD BE

NEW PLANK IN PLATFORM

Prominent English Club Women Express ViewsPaper Opens Up Discussion.

London.—Of course women should have the right to propose. They should have that right not only during leap year, but in any other year. Having that right, or maintaining that they have it, it is more likely than not that their march toward the new freedom will win full recognition of the new plank in their platform.

These are some of the conclusions from the discussion of leap year with which the year 1920 has opened in London.

The Evening News "views it with alarm."

"Since last year," says the News, "women have acquired the vote, women have been made into J. P.'s and a woman sits in parliament.

"Will the emancipated sex make a combined onslaught on the more valuable of man's remaining prerogatives and leave him with nothing but the second—that of paying jointly incurred bills?"

The paragraph, possibly, was written by a mere man.

The testimony of the women on the right of proposing differs with the interviewed.

"Nowadays men seem to be so shy that it will become necessary," says Miss Shirley Kellogg, musical comedy star and wife of Albert DeCourville, the producer. "But shy men make the best husbands."

"Certainly not," says "Olivette," a woman writer. "For women it disposes of all the romance of marriage and robs them of their most effective taunt. 'Well, YOU chose me, old dear.'"

And from Miss Rosamund Smith, treasurer of the Society for Equal Citizenship:

"Many women will feel different about proposing, but there is no reason why a woman should not 'put the question.'

"It is really rather unfair that men should always suffer the humiliation of being refused."

"There should be an equality between men and women," says Miss Underwood, secretary of the Women's Freedom League, "and as women are becoming more and more independent economically, why should not they propose—and not only in leap year but in any other year?"

"Certainly not!" says the Hon. Mrs. Dennis Wyndham, daughter of Lord Inchcape and a well-known film actress. "If a man had any gallantry he could not refuse if a woman proposed to him, and a marriage under such circumstances could only lead to disaster."

Mrs. Gertie Wentworth-James, the authoress, wins for original mental research into the subject.

"Women who do men's work," she says, "and earn men's incomes should have men's privileges. Therefore, if they wish to propose they should do so.

"All the same, if a man wants a woman he will ask her. If he doesn't is there any satisfaction in trying to make him think he does by suggesting that he should become her husband?

"Also, the flattering pleasure of being wanted is surely one of the great compensations for being a woman—and if we propose we miss all those sweet assurances which are as much a feminine need as chocolates, silk stockings and scent."

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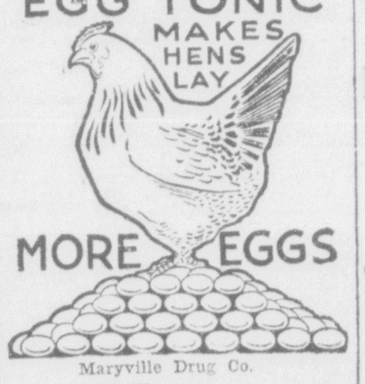

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PAGEANT TO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY OF STATE

Missouri 100 Years Old as a State Will Be Occasion of Many Celebrations in 1920.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 26.—The fact that Missouri will be 100 years old as state this year will be the occasion of many celebrations, not the least of which will be the masque and pageant of Missouri history to be given at Columbia on March 11. Representatives of the University of Missouri, of the State Historical Society and of the Columbia Commercial Club are making plans for the program.

A thousand different costumes will be used, and four hundred persons will take part, among them many University students.

The pageant will epresent the history of Missouri in a prologue, five historical episodes and a masque. The theme of the whole will be the motto from the state seal, "Let the safety of the people be the supreme law."

In the prologue, Time and Missouri River will speak prophetically of the commonwealth to be developed. The spirits of the hills and waters will celebrate in dances their possession of land, but will shrink back at the approach of civilation. Then will come the Spanish adventurers lured by the spirit of gold. With the coming of religion and trade, a vision of Missouri appears.

The prologue will be followed by five historical scenes: The Founding of Ste. Genevieve, The Louisiana Purchase, The Admission of Missouri to Statehood, The Mexican War, and The Civil War. The period from the Civil War to 1920 will be represented in a masque, the first part of which shows all the world bringing to Missouri, at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, fruits of peace. Part two will show Missouri forsaking peace, furnishing men and leadership, with other states of the Union, for the world war.

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Having decided to leave the farm, we will sell at public auction at farm known as the Pride farm, 3 miles north and 2 miles west of the Burlington depot, on

Monday, March 1

The Following Property:

10 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 span of horses, 7 years old, well matched and sound and good workers; 1 span 10 years old; 1 grade, 12 years old; 1 yearling mule and 1 suckling mules.

11 HEAD OF COWS AND CALVES—Six good cows, all good and will be fresh in spring; 5 spring calves and heifers and 3 steers.

26 HEAD OF HOGS—4 brood sows; 12 head of fall pigs; 6 sows will farrow in March. 1 male hog.

CORN AND HAY—About 100 bushels of corn and about 6 tons of clover hay.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Peter Schuttler wagon; 1 John Deere double row go-devil, good as new; 1 harrow, three section cultivators, 1 New Century 4 shovel and 3 International shovel; 1 double row lister; 1 buggy and 1 hay frame and harness; 2 walking cultivators, New Avery and Janesville; 1 spring board, new; 1 sulky plow; 2 sets of work harness, 1 set of lead cord harness; 1 chicken coop and 2 rows of hen nests; 1 hog feeder; 2 barrel of Columbia hog powder; 1 gasoline engine and saw; ½ barrel crude oil, and a few dozen chickens.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch by Ladies of the Myrtle Tree Church.

Davis & Dawson

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer. Frank Roelofson, C

Social, Clubs Churches

Lodge Meeting.

The Eastern Star will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the I. O. O. F. hall. The initiation of new members will be held, followed by a social hour and the serving of a luncheon.

At Tea Room.

Mrs G. W. Bowmer and Mrs. N. F. Humber entertained with a luncheon at the Come-Again Tea room yesterday. Their guests included Mrs. Fred Yeomans and children, Walter Calvin and Sarah Mae of Sheridan and Mrs. J. H. Thorp. Mrs. Yoemans and children returned to their home at Sheridan this morning.

Surprise Party.

Prof. R. M. Ross, an instructor of the Barnard High School who is leaving there to live on a farm near Gentry, Mo., was tendered a surprise party last night by the entire student body of the Barnard High School at the home of Prof. Ross' borther, Prof. Claude Ross. Games and music furnished entertainment at the party. About seventy-five people were present.

B. B. Circle Meeting.

Only four members were present at the all day meeting of the B. B. Circle which was held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Loren Jones. The day was spent in quilting, at noon lunch was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Marion Ripley on March 4. Those present at yesterdays meeting were Mr. Frank Hull, Mrs. D. F. Moody, Mrs. Marion Ripley and Mrs. Loren Jones.

Kensington Tea.

Mrs. W. C. Pierce, Mrs. Margaret Pierce and Miss Hattie Pierce were hostesses at a Kensington Tea given yesterday at the Pierce residence on North Main Street. The guests included the Maryville Delta Gamma girls and their mothers who were Mrs. Charles Bellows, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mrs. Lawrence Ogden, Mrs E. H. Bainum and daughter, Miss Anna, Mrs. C. C. Corwin and daughter, Miss Mae, Mrs. G. L. Willey and daughter, Miss Marjorie, Mrs. Gallatin Craig and daughter, Miss Laura, Miss Nellie Douglas and the hostesses.

Country Club Party.

Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Jr. entertained the members of the Country Club, their husbands and families last night at their country home near Maryville with a domino party and oyster supper. Forty-two was played during the evening and Mr. and Mrs O. J. Willhoyte were the prize winners. Mrs. Job was assisted in entertaining and serving by Mrs. Arch Willhoyte and Mrs. William Job, Sr. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte, Mrs. O. L. Shell, Miss Leona Willhoyte, Roberta Willhoyte, Forrest Stark, Amos Shell and Virgil Tolbred. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swinford and family were guests of the club at the party.

For Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thorpe tendered them a pleasant surprise party Wednesday night the occasion being the thirty-fourth wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs. Thorpe. The evening was spent in a social manner and refreshments were served by the self-invited party. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. James W. Blagg, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Campbell, Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Holliday and son, Robert, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Heideman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl O. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leet, and daughters, Helen and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Barry, Mrs Clara Truett, Mrs. Lillie Martin, Mrs. E. T. Dale, Mrs. Chales Siler, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Frank Craig, Mrs. E. W. Willoughby, Mrs. M. E. Farrar, Mrs. N. F. Humber, Mrs. Charles Thorpe, Mrs. C. W. Thorpe, Sarah Ellen Siler and John Henry Thorpe.

Party at Barnard.

Mrs. S. A. Roach and Mrs. Charles Dempsey entertained with a progressive rook party Wednesday night at the Roach home. Following the concluding game of rook, a two course luncheon was served. The guests included Mrs. Roy Cook, Mrs. Lloyd Strader, Mrs. Ernest Witty, Mrs. G. L. Girlett, Mrs. Rex Lincoln, Mrs. Faye Burns, Mrs. Glen Lincoln, Mrs. Charles Eaton, Mrs. Paul Garsuch, Mrs. Elva Hagan, Mrs. Fred Daniels, Mrs. Lowell Campbell, Mrs. Austin Hazelwood, Mrs. Warren Campbell, Mrs. William Benson, Mrs. Charles Henderson, Mrs. Bruce Stonehocker, Mrs. John Tulloch, Mrs. Peter Jergenson and one out-of-town guest, Mrs. Leroy Neff of Ridgeway, Mo.

Progressive Luncheon.

A number of students of the Maryville High School enjoyed a progressive luncheon Wednesday night. The party gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallace and from there went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Dietz for the first course and to the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Phelps for the last course and the after-luncheon hour. The guests included Opal Craig, Dorothea Snodderly, Alma Appleby, Vira Fitz, Ethel Wallace, Mary Holt, Treva Phipps, Leota Claire Landfather, Katherine Wallace, Mary and Grace Dietz, Harold Roelofsen, Ellis Meek, T. J. McNeal, Morton Evans, Jack Rowlette, Harlan Wray, Joe Burk, George Aley, Jerry Dowell, Robert Nicholas and Ermil Coler.

Club at Skidmore Meets.

The Neighborly Club of Skidmore was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Mattie Tarpley. The topic for study was "Shantung and the Chinese Question," and papers were read by Mrs. W. J. Skidmore, Mrs. H. W. Montgomery and Mrs. Bess Cottrell. The program was followed by a social hour and the serving of refreshments. The members persent were Mrs. Fred Barber, Mrs. Gordon Bennett, Mrs. Bess Cottrell, Mrs. W. J. Skidmore, Mrs. R. A. Walker, Mrs. Gertrude Hickman, Mrs. H. W. Montgomery, Mrs. Harry Hebblitzell and Miss Mattie Tarpley. Mrs. W. W. Grigsby was a guest of the club.

Drydale-Pew.

Miss Alice Marian Drydale, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Drydale of Barnard, and Frank G. Pew, also of Barnard, were married at 12 o'clock Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents. The marriage lines were read by Rev. Leslie Cobb of Bedford, Iowa. The bride was gowned in gray georgette and satin which was trimmed with bead ornaments. Following the ecremony a four-course wedding dinner was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Drydale, Mr. and Mrs. Red Baker and son, Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Drydale, Mr. and Mrs. James Drydale and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clemmons and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Kling, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crain and son, Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Drydale, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thrasher and daughter, Velma Irene, Mrs. Ed Crain and son, Garland, Mrs. W. D. Burns, Mrs. Alice Tulloch, Mrs. Dora Long, Mrs. Dora Goff and daughter, Belva La Dean, Sam Smith, Misses Alice Crain, Velma Burns, Adah Ware, Myrtle Rassie, Vera Baker, Anna Drydale, Owen Campbell, Roy Drydale, Sam and Lee Burns, Paul, Walter and Harry Drydale and James Thrasher. Following the dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Pew left for a short honeymoon trip after which they will be at home on a farm five miles west of Barnard.

Rebekah Meeting.

Plans were made at a meeting of the Rebekah lodge which was held last night at the I. O. O. F. hall, to hold a membership contest for the next few weeks with penalty of entertaining for the loosing side. At the close of the contest a class will be initiated into the lodge. Other arrangements were made at the meeting held last night for a basket supper to be given on March 18, at the I. O. O. F. hall. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and their families will be invited to this supper. A program will be a feature of the evenings entertainment.

Heflin-Fisher.

Miss Vida Iris Heflin and James Russell Fisher, both living near Ravenwood, were married at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Heflin, of near Ravenwood. The marriage lines were read by Rev. C. F. Green, pastor of the Harmony Church. The bride wore her going-away suit fashioned of dark blue material. Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held at the home. Those witnessing the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Back, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis, Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Green and daughter, Mrs. Lucretia Heflin, Miss Myrtle Tarchison, Misses Elva and Naurie Heflin, Dot and Pauline Heflin, Buford Heflin and R. M. Heflin, Jr. For the past four years the bride has taught at the Casteel school. She is also a former student of the State Teachers College. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher will make their home on a farm near Ravenwood.

A Brotherly Trick.

Yes, it is true and happened just a few nights ago and another case where big brother and his friend liked to tease his sister and her gentleman caller. Sister's caller on this particular night was just a little bit too talkative, just a little too proud of his roll of bills, of his bravery and his wonderful experiences, to suit big brother and his friend. So when the evening was spent and sister's caller left the house, low, two black faced men push something in his face and in a low voice said, "Hands Up." With shrieks of terror, back to the house he rushed but on finding it locked, over across the street he sped to a neighboring house which was lighted yelling help! help! But his fright becoming somewhat lessened by the time, he again crossed the street to the home where he had spent the evening to find the two black-faced robbers with a spoon revolver already in the house indulging in other kinds of shrieks than fright.

Drive to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Begley left today in their car for their new home at Lecota, Kan. They expect to reach their destination by Monday.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. For 17 years he used these tablets (a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil) in his private practice with great success.

They do all the good that calomel does but have no bad after effects. No pains, no griping, no injury to the gums or danger from acid foods—yet they stimulate the liver and bowels. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "logy" and "heavy." Note how they clear clouded brain and perk up the spirits. 10c and 25c a box.

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Catarrh has never yet been cured by these local applications. Have you ever experienced any real benefit from such treatment? Throw these makeshift remedies to the winds, and get to the right treatment. Get a bottle of S. S. S. today and continue a treatment that has been praised by sufferers for nearly half a century.

S. S. S. gets right at the source of Catarrh and gives satisfactory results. For special instructions free regarding your own case, address Medical Director, 21 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

CHEW A FEW—END STOMACH DISTRESS!

At once! Indigestion, Heartburn, Gas and Dyspepsia, caused by Acid Stomach is relieved. Buy a box! Eat meals without fear! Read "Common Sense Rules Regarding Stomach" in package.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.
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FOR SALE.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Small farm, 10 acre tract, and houses. M. G. Tate. F11tf.

FOR SALE—Nice modern home, seven rooms with cemented basement and closed in porch conveniently arranged, close in on paved street. Garden and small fruit Will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. See Robey & Anderson ..... 20tf.

FOR SALE—160 acres well improved farm near Pickering, 128 acres adjoining Pickering, well improved and electric lights. J. L. Bosch, R 3, Maryville, Farmers 22-15. 23-28*

I will sell at Fields and Bright's sale February 28th, Duroc gilts bred for April farrow, and bred to a good boar, one of the sons of Pathfinder Echo. Also some bailed timothy hay. W. R. Logan. 25-27*

FOR SALE—Colorado alfalfa and wheat land, 520 acres; 200 acres will grow alfalfa, balance fine wheat land. Price $30 per acre; $6,000 cash, balance easy terms. Have other bargains. Immediate possession. E. E. Woodward, Brush, Colo. 25-9*

FOR SALE—90 head of high grade Angus steers coming 2 and 3 years old; 2 registered Poland-China sows; some shucked corn, alfalfa, clover and timothy hay. Call T. L. Wilderman. Han. 434. 26-1

FOR SALE—A 6 octave organ, in good condition and excellent tone. Call Mrs. Henry Cook, 1013 E. 5th street. Both phones. 26-28

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barron Single Comb White Leghorn eggs. Bred to lay, $8 per 100. Orders taken for baby chicks. Ernest Wells, Ravenwood. 26-28*

FOR SALE—Nice, bright barn hay, timothy and clover mixed. A. E. Fink, 6 miles northwest of Maryville. Phone 31-15. 27-1*

FOR SALE—8-room modern house, 3 blocks from square, $5,500. C. D. Allen, over Wells' Bakery 26-28.

FOR SALE—1920 Ford touring car in first class condition. Call Armstrong's Foundry. 27-1

SPECIAL BARGAINS in dressers, duofolds, davenports, dining chairs, kitchen cabinets, beds and parlor sets. Case Furniture Store f27tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—All kinds of junk, will pay a special price for rags. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. D6tf.

WANTED to rent for term of years extra good residence. M. C. Case, Han. 520, Farmers 310. F2tf.

First class auto repairing repair and recharging storage batteries, auto accessories of all kinds. Ajax tires. We also weld all kinds of metal. Hillsbeck garage, Graham, Mo. 2tf.

I am now ready to make farm loans on short notice. C. P. Anderson Real Estate and Investment Co. D13 tf.

WANTED—Family washing. Inquire at this office. F2J1

We have two trucks and will do all kinds of hauling and truck service, anywhere, anytime. Can haul 15 to 20 head of 200 lbs., each load. We guarantee satisfaction and reasonable charges. Special rate on St. Joe hauling. Call C. G. Lincoln or Roy Fanning Barnard, Mo F20-M12*

STORAGE ROOM—For household goods. The United States Copper Cable Co., East side square. 23-28.

Those needing services of good young bull, call John Graves.
Far. 76-12. M 25*

WANTED—To rent 6 or 7 room house, modern. Phone or see C. R. Gaugh at Gaugh & Evans Drug Store. 25-27*.

WANTED—Girl or woman for General House Work. No Washing. Ed Brewer, 315 South Market. tf.

WANTED—Nice place to work in small family, by lady with one 4 year son, can furnish good references. Daisy Yates, Maitland, Mo. 26-28.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A red ball houn pup, about 9 months old, disappeared on Feb. 24. The value of this dog is $50.00. The man that brings him in shall get his reward. Ora Turpen, 1302 East Jenkins street. 25-27*

YOUNG MEN for Railway Mail Clerks, $110 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars examinations, write J. Leonard (former Government Examiner) 748 Equitable Building, Washington, D. C. 26-2*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—160 acre farm, 3 miles west of Hopkins. Call or write Mrs. J. D. Sobbing, Hopkins, Mo. F18tf.

FOR RENT—Farm of 320 acres, 1 mile north of Graham, known as the Wm. Cramer farm, for cash rent. Call Miss Bertha Cramer, Maitland, phone 34. F14tf.

TO RENT—120-acre farm close to Maryville. Inquire at this office. 26-28*

FOR RENT—50 acres reasonable for cash rent, for information write A. Young, 712 West 33rd, Kansas City, Mo. 26-28.

FOR RENT—4 room house, 5 blocks from square, $10.00 per month. Call 64 Farmers or at 411 East 6th street. 27-1*

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City, Feb. 27.—Cattle receipts 1,500; steers $9.00 to $13.00; cows $8.60 to $9.75. Hogs—3,500; top $14.75; bulk $12.00 to $14.60.

Kansas City, Feb. 27.—May corn $1.34 7-8; July corn $1.29 5-8.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Cattle, 5,000; hogs, 17,000; Sheep, 8,000.

St. Joseph, Feb. 27.—Cattle, 500. Hogs, 4,500; top, $14.55; 25c higher. Sheep, 2,000.

PRODUCT MARKET.

Hens	27c
Spring Chickens	23c
Eggs	42c
Geese	16c
Ducks	16c
Butterfat	61c
Hides	16c
Old roosters and stags	15c
Old Cocks, per lb.	10

FOR SALE.

Strictly Modern eight Room Home, Stable and Garage, easy terms, possession March 1 or after. See me at office or through the mail, can't understand Phone Talk. CHAS. HYSLOP. 24-28

"Billy Ross" Dead.

Billy Ross, considered one of the most promising of the season's crop of 2-year-olds, was destroyed at the Fair Grounds yesterday, suffering from lockjaw. The deceased colt was bred by B. A. Jones of Parnell, Mo., and was by Harrigan out of Princess Tulane and therefore a full brother of Julia L., which raced with splendid success here four winters ago. Mr. Jones was offered $15,000 for Billy Ross a month ago. His loss is partly covered by insurance. The colt never appeared under colors.—New Orleans Times Picayune, February 20.

Instances of extreme old age are more common among those who exercise themselves with gardening than in any other employment.

NASTY COLDS ARE RELIEVED AT ONCE

"Pape's Cold Compound" then Breaks up a Cold in a few Hours.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all grippe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

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160 acres, 4½ miles of good town, has fair 4-room house, good barn, brick cave, lots of water, about 120 acres in cultivation. This is a bargain. Price $125 per acre; $5,400 will handle this, balance will run 5 years, 6%. Why rent?

80 acres, 3 miles of good town, has new bungalow, 6 rooms, new barn, lays fine; $3,500 will handle it.

160 acres 2 miles of R. R. station, 90 acres cultivation, balance blue grass pasture, good barn, 4-room house, $5,000 will handle this. Price $100 per acre.

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Mother! You must say "California."
—Adv.

AN AVERAGE.

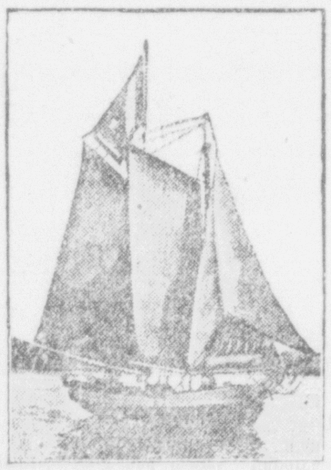
When the average man comes home from work
At the end of an average day,
He's worked along in the average style,
According to average pay.
He walks along at an average pace
Till he strikes an average car
That takes him along with an average crowd
And gives him an average jar.
He enters in by the average gate
And opens the average door,
He finds an average number of kids
Sprawled out on an average floor,
And when he turns to his average wife,
Who once was an average miss,
He's better by far than the average man
If he captures an average kiss.
—Cartoons Magazine.

VESSEL HAS HAD LONG LIFE

Schooner Polly, Built at Amesbury, Mass., in 1805, Still Is in Active Service.

In 1805 the Polly first sailed the ocean blue, and she is still doing it. Her birthplace was Amesbury, Mass., and since the first moment she took the water she has been working as a coastwise freighter.

Several years ago, when the Polly began to grow famous for her long, active life, the newspapers—as so often happen—hunted for possible scandals in her youth that they might feature in their pages. They came out with the story that in the war of 1812 she was a privateer. But this was



The Venerable Polly.

promptly and indignantly denied by her friends. So the newspapers gave up and the Polly has gone on her peaceful, respectable way.

The schooner has a capacity for only forty-five tons of freight; yet in her day she has carried enough lumber, bricks and lime to build a large city of wooden houses. Think of the long line of captains who have sailed the Polly and the crews that have manned her through more than a hundred years. What human interest stories she could tell if she could only speak. —Popular Science Monthly.

Spanish Railroads.

W. B. Trites, the novelist, is living in Malaga in a villa on a hilltop overlooking the Mediterranean. In a letter to his New York publisher he wrote:

"Andalusia is divine, but the railroads are the limit. In buying a ticket for Malaga to Torre del Mar I said to the railroad man the other day:

"'How is this? You charge me 80 cents to Torre del Mar, and in the four-horse stage I can make the trip for forty-five.'

"'Ah, but, you see, senor,' said the railroad man, 'on our line you obtain a ride of four hours, whereas in the four-horse stage it is only a ride of 90 minutes. You see, senor, looked at in that way, ours is the better bargain, is it not?'"

Judge Dick Bailey and Sheriff Dowden were in town Monday. Why it is necessary for Dick to have the Sheriff with him for a guard when he comes up in here is something that puzzles his friends.—Elmo Register.

George Walker Improving.

George Walker who has been very low with pneumonia for some time at St. Francis hospital is now slowly improving and the physicians say he is going to recover, although it is slow. Mrs. Walker who was taken to the hospital with her husband suffering from the same disease, is able to be up.—Ravenwood Gazette.

Accepted Pastorate Here.

Rev. G. W. Maxwell, pastor of the Christian Church at Rock Port, who was recently called to the local pastorate, has accepted and will begin his new duties the first of April. Rev. Maxwell is well known in this section of the country, and has the reputation of being an excellent preacher.—Barnard Bulletin.

Here From Colorado.

Mrs. Anna Besley of Clifton, Colo., is visiting in Maryville at the home of her brother-in-law, W. R. Besley, and her niece, Mrs. William Farzee.

Moving to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Coler and family of this city will leave next Tuesday for Fort Collins, Colo., where they will make [illegible] Mrs. Coler is a sister of Mrs. [illegible] of this city, and will be remembered by many Maryville people. They will locate on a farm near Fort Collins at the end of the spring quarter before joining her parents.

Remus' to St. Joseph.

C. F. Remus and daughter, Miss Margaret, went to St. Joseph this morning to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Remus' mother, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Landis, which were held at 11 o'clock this morning at the Landis residence, 2221 Jule street.

Roseberry to Kansas City.

G. B. Roseberry went to Kansas City yesterday afternoon to attend a state board meeting involving the Missouri Movement, which was held there this morning. Mr. Roseberry will return to Maryville tonight.

Discharged Their Women Employes.

Washington, Feb. 27.—A tie-up of the railroad lines between St. Louis and Chicago is threatened as a result of the action of the Illinois Terminal Company notifying all women employes in offices at Alton their services will not be needed after March 1.

Burial at Ferrel, Texas.

Funeral services for Mrs. C. D. Price who died at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. T. Perrient, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the African M. E. Chuch. The body will be taken to Terrel, Texas for burial and was etated this afternoon.

Ration Food in Italy.

Rome, Feb. 27.—War-time systems for cards for bread, fats, sugar and a system of meatless days will be inaugurated Monday in Italy. The baking of cakes has been prohibited.

Colorado Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Petty left this afternoon for Fort Collins, Colo., after making a short visit in Maryville with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Curfman and Mr. Curfman.

Mrs. Saunders Leaves.

Mrs. M. G. Saunders left this morning for her home at Pueblo, Colo., after a visit in Maryville of several weeks with her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., and her sister, Mrs. J. F. Colby.

Van Cosler and William Linville, both of Skidmore, were Maryville visitors today.

A Nervous Wreck Following LaGrippe

Kirksville, Mo.—"I had a severe case of the La grippe and did not get along well afterward; it left me weak and a nervous wreck. I could not do anything. I went on this way for some time, but could not get back my health. I took many medicines but without results. At last I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it soon built me up and gave me strength and I felt like a different person. Women who want a good medicine will find it in 'Favorite Prescription.'"—MRS. A. SHAIN, 402 W. Illinois St.

Weak Women Should Take Heed

Hannibal, Mo.—"Dr. Pierce's medicines have been a great help to me during the past ten years. The 'Favorite Prescription' cured me of woman's weakness and many times when I was run down and nervous this medicine has restored me to good health. And for cleansing one's system and keeping it in perfect condition, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets can't be equalled. I have also taken Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets and have been greatly benefited. I have proved that Dr. Pierce's medicines are fourfold, and more. They promote health, prevent untimely deaths, restore fully, and keep off doctor bills. Why do they do this? Because they are made of roots, herbs and barks—Nature's remedies, and they produce pure blood, the secret of health."—MRS. LUNA V. CHRISTIAN, 605 Fulton Ave.

Backache, Dizziness and Pain

When a woman complains of backache, dizziness or pain—when everything looks black before her eyes—a dragging feeling, or bearing-down, with nervousness, she should turn to this "temperance" herbal tonic, known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It can be obtained in almost every drug store in the land and the ingredients are printed in plain English on the wrapper. Put up in tablets or liquid. Dr. Pierce, of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., will send a trial size for 10 cents.

The Building Material Price Trend is Upward-Bound

As the demand increases the prices will be forced higher

(From The Literary Digest for Feb. 21, 1920)

The building material man, whether he be manufacturer, distributer, dealer, contractor or consumer, is today confronted with a potential demand far beyond the plant capacities of the entire country to meet for the next five years, at least, even operating at 80 per cent of maximum plant output, which, with the shortened work week and scarcity of common labor, restricts actual production of building commodities in the basic department at least to barely more than 50 per cent.

To the prospective builder of homes, factories, commercial buildings, or the investor designing and contemplating the construction of hotels, theaters, apartment houses, or tenements, this looks like a forbiding outlook. In the last year it has checked actual building constructions to about 40 per cent of normal for New York and vicinity.

In the Middle West there was more foresight, coupled with the advantage of having close at hand the centers of building material supply. It accepted the alternative of paying higher prices instead of waiting for them to recede, and went ahead with building. New York preferred to wait in the expectancy that prices would drop. "This policy," quoting Mr. Beals, "is to be a costly experiment and procrastination. He continues: Labor disturbances have so absorbed the attention of prospective builders that no artificial means were applied to revive construction. Contractors were obliged to refuse tenders to estimate on building projects. Recently many of these most important trade problems have been ironed out, and once more the steel skeletons of buildings poke their black angles above the neighboring house tops. The lumbering girder truck, absent from the city streets for nearly two years, is once more adding to the problems of the traffic policeman at busy corners and houses by the hundreds are being started at a time of the year when building construction normally is retarded to wait for more auspicious weather conditions in the spring.

(Concluded in Saturday's Democrat-Forum).

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OUR SCHOOL NEEDS

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grown in the last four years from 208 students to 330 students. The last year the growth has been from 276 to 330. If the increase should continue each year as it has for the past four years, and Superintendent McDonald said he could see no reason why it shouldn't, there will not be sufficient room in the present building to accommodate that number next year or thereafter. He spoke of how the high school has been hampered in the past on account of the lack of room.

In speaking about teachers' salaries, Mr. McDonald said that the grade teachers are receiving about $2.10 a day, counting 300 working days in the year. The high school teachers are receiving $3 a day. With such a low rate of pay for teachers, the grade teachers being required to have a state teachers college education and the high school teachers a university or college education, it is no wonder that many teachers are leaving the profession to go into other business, where they are able to make more.

Professor Zeigler, the newly-elected superintendent of the schools for next year, told of the importance of physical education in the schools and its advantages to the general health of the boys and girls. Physical education, he said, did not consist in basketball, baseball and football games, those athletic sports being only a small part. He spoke of the need of a good gymnasium.

E. E. Williams, a membe ref the school board, said the assessment of the school district was a little over $2,000,000, and that a 25 cent levy would provide about $5,000 more revenue. The board felt that with such a levy voted at the April election they will be able to raise the grade teachers $10 a month and the high school teachers about $15 to $20. Mr. Williams thought that a levy of $1.70 to $1.75 would provide sufficient funds to take care of school needs in addition to building a building. The levy for school purposes is $1, this being the constitutional limit. The present school bond issue of $75,000, voted in 1908, is practically paid off with the exception of $7,000, which has some eight years yet to run. It would be possible to build about an $80,000 building, as the school district can not bond themselves exceeding 5 per cent of the assessment preceding the last assessment.

Several men in attendance made short talks and expressed themselves in favor of an additional building and of more money for teachers. Fred Robinson said that he never missed an opportunity to talk in favor of a new constitution, the one we are working under now being adopted in 1875. Mr. Robinson also brought out that a boy laborer is receiving as much as a high school teacher is being paid now.

It was the opinion of the people in attendance at the meeting that the school board should submit a 25 cent levy for repairs and furnishings for the school building, and a bond issue for a building of some $80,000 for additional class rooms and a gymnasium.

The meeting followed a dinner which was served by the women of the Christian Church.

Arrest Reds at Cleveland.

Cleveland, Feb. 27.—Ten alleged reds were arrested and several wagon loads of radical literature were confiscated in a raid conducted by federal agents and the police today. Additional arrests are in prospect.

J. H. Sewell, E. C. Curfman, George A. Pickens and M. E. Ford will go to Tarkio this evening where they will attend a good road meeting.

BAD ROAD CAUSED A CHANGE IN RURAL ROUTE AT BARNARD.

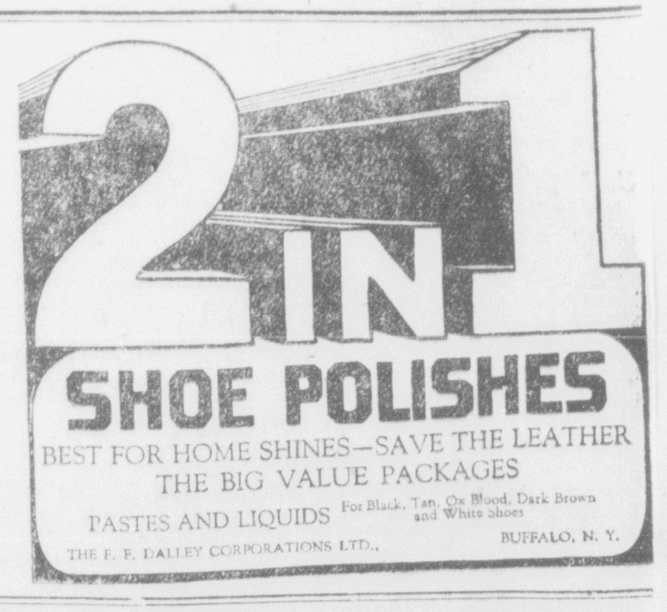
Route No. 1 has been changed by officials of the postal department at Washington because of bad roads, according to advices received by Postmaster Perkins last week. In place of turning east at the corner west of Charles Carter's, the carrier comes straight north, retracing into town.

The cause of the change is the river road which has been impassible almost all winter and is in such a condition that it is almost impossible to make it a first class road. Only a few patrons of the route are affected and several of them say that the change is a wise one.—Barnard Bulletin.

OPPONENTS OF RAIL BILL MAY ATTACK CONSTITUTIONALITY

Washington, Feb. 27.—The railroad unions and farm organizations which have gone on record against the Cummins-Esch bill, are planning to attack the constitutionality of the measure if, contrary to the report the president signs the measure, it was learned today.

A body which weighs a pound here would weigh only about two and one half ounces if taken to the moon.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